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For: Faceplate with Fire Retardant
Material for an Electrical Box

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, Applicants hereby submit the reference
contained on the attached Form 1449. A copy of the cited reference is enclosed.

On Friday, November 30, 2001, an Examiner telephoned the undersigned and requested a
copy of a patent that had issued from Application Serial No. 09/283, 349 that was co-pending at
the time of filing of this application. The co-pending patent application was disclosed in the
original Information Disclosure statement, dated January 18, 2001. The Examiner requested that
the copy be submitted in an Information Disclosure Statement. Since the application has been
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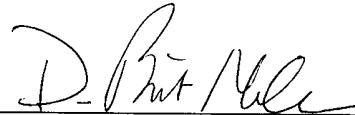
are due in this regard as well. However, if there are any remaining charges or credits, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit the Locke Liddell & Sapp LLP Deposit Acct. No. 12-1322 (Ref. 041443-00752).

Citation of this reference should not be construed as an admission that it constitutes prior art of the claimed invention.

Respectfully submitted,

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